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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action mailed October 14, 2005, applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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